

New Year's Eve Events, Dec. 31

- **Ground Zero 2026 NYE Party** with Ra'Shad The Blues Kid & The Chitlins, 814 Howard Ave., 8:30 p.m., Admission: \$25-\$50
- **Hard Rock Live New Year's Eve Masquerade**, 9 p.m., Admission: \$50 (come in costume - full masks or face-coverings are not permitted at this event)



Biloxi Twelfth Night Celebration, Jan. 5, 5-9 p.m., 140 Lameuse St. (across from City Hall). It's the kick-off to Carnival season on the Gulf Coast! Coastal Krewe royalty will parade through downtown to City Hall where the building will ceremoniously illuminate in carnival colors. Flagbearers for 2026 will be presented. Music, merriment, and food. Details: 228-314-4747



Frosty Kroc Run, Jan 10, 8:30 a.m. Golden Nugget Hotel & Casino - Biloxi Bay Bridge. 5K, 10K, & 1-mile fun run. Registration: \$20 for adults, \$15 age 17 and under. Details: 228-207-1218

Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Celebration 2026, Festivities take place along MLK Jr. Blvd. and at St. Paul United Methodist Church. Parade will take place on Monday, Jan. 19 at 11 a.m. Details: Facebook/MLKcoastwide



Bike Biloxi, Jan 20, 6 p.m.; downtown ride. Begins at the Biloxi Visitors Center, 1050 Beach Blvd., and ends with refreshments and food at a downtown restaurant at cyclists' expense. Helmets and lights recommended. Details: 228-435-6339



The Biloxi Breakers Ice Hockey

Jan 2, 3, 9, 10, 15, & 16, 7 p.m., Mississippi Coast Coliseum, 2350 Beach Blvd. Admission and details: 228-594-3708

Main Street Book Club, Jan 22, 5 p.m. (please note new time), One Thirty One Lameuse, 131 Lameuse St. January's meeting is a meet and greet with local author, Kim Carter Kilgore. Kilgore will discuss her latest book: "Time Did Not Forget," the latest installment in the Clara & Iris Series. Details: 228-435-6339



City of Biloxi Baseball & Softball registration: Jan. 31, 2026, 9 a.m. to Noon, Donal M. Snyder Sr. Community Center, 2520 Pass Road. Girls Softball open to ages 5-16. Baseball open to girls and boys ages 4-12. Details: 228-388-7170



First Friday Downtown Biloxi, on hiatus until March 2026. Details: 228-435-6339

Stay in touch

BNews: Welcome to the 92nd issue of BNews Monthly. It's a compendium of things you should know about your city: status reports on current and pending public works, and a calendar of community events covering the next 30 days.

Calendar: Biloxi Downtown Services is responsible for the Community Calendar, a compendium of events open to the public in Biloxi. Deadline for publication citywide and online is the 10th of each month. Listing must include name of event, date, time, location, one- or two-sentence description, admission fee, phone number or web address. Email to Kay Miller, downtown services manager, kmiller@biloxi.ms.us.

Bmail: The city provides information about projects and events via email. Sign up at biloxi.ms.us/register.

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B-Alert: For text advisories on traffic and severe weather, follow on Facebook @cobiloxi/.

Website: The city's website, at biloxi.ms.us, is the comprehensive digest of city information. The website also has links to the city's Facebook and YouTube platforms.

BTv: Biloxi Television, city's municipal TV channel, is a mix of current events, local history and local flavor, and monthly updates. Visit online at biloxi.ms.us/btv, and on Sparklight Channel 56.

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Frequently Called Numbers

Area code is 228 unless otherwise noted.

• Animal Control	392-0641
• Auto Tag/Property Tax Information	435-8242
• Birth Certificates	601-576-7960
• Building Permits	435-6270
• Business Licenses	435-6280
• Citizen services (streets, lights)	435-6271
• City Council	435-6257
• City Court	435-6125
• Code Enforcement	435-0841
• Drivers Licenses	396-7400
• Emergency Police and Fire	911
• Garbage Collection	701-9086
• Housing Authority	374-7771
• Human Resources	435-6259
• Mayor's Office	435-6254
• Museums Information	435-6244
• Parks & Recreation	388-7170
• Planning Commission	435-6266
• Public Schools	374-1810
• Streets and Drainage	435-6271
• Visitor Info	374-3105 or 1-800-BILOXI-3
• Water Service	435-6236

Children's Mardi Gras Parade Registration, Open to ages 12 and younger. Parade takes place in downtown on Saturday, Feb. 7. Registration forms will be available online at biloxi.ms.us. Presented by Biloxi Parks & Recreation Department. Details: 228-388-7170



Biloxi Little Theatre

220 Lee St., 228-432-8543
www.4blt.org

- **Trouble The Mind**
Jan. 23-Feb. 1



Center Stage

2670 Rue Palafox, 228-388-6258
centerstagebiloxi.com

- **Joe Turner's Come & Go**
Feb. 26-March 8

Beauvoir, The Jefferson Davis Home & Presidential Library

2244 Beach Blvd., 228-388-4400, www.visitbeauvoir.org

Biloxi Excel By 5

Lopez School, 140 St. John Ave., 228-297-6808

- Community-based certification program to improve child's overall well-being by age 5



Biloxi Lighthouse & Visitors Center

1050 Beach Blvd., 228-374-3105, biloxi.ms.us. Open daily, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

- **Lighthouse tours daily,** 9-10 a.m., weather permitting. Admission: \$5 for ages 12 and older; \$2 for ages 6-11; free for ages 5 and younger
- **Gift shop,** featuring products from local artists

Biloxi Schooners

367 Beach Blvd., 228-435-6320, schooner@maritimemuseum.org. Open 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

- Group charters available, up to 44 people
- Walk on Sails, minimum of 6 passengers, \$30/adult & \$15/child ages 3-12, check website for dates

Biloxi Shrimping Trip

693 Beach Blvd., 228-392-8645, www.biloxishrimpingtrip.com

Biloxi Tour Train

Biloxi Lighthouse Park parking lot, south of Biloxi Visitors Center, traffic light #40, 228-374-8687, biloxitourtrain.com

- Call in advance for tour availability

Coastal Mississippi Mardi Gras Museum

792 Howard Ave., 228-314-4747, museum@coastalmardigras.com

- Open weekdays, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., open Saturdays by appointment

Harrison County East Biloxi Senior Center

461 Parker St., 228-435-4192, co.harrison.ms.us/departments/senior/services

- Open 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Monday-Friday

KAFB Farmer's Market

625 Marina Dr., 228-376-2821, BOS.81FSS.Vandenburg@us.af.mil

- First Friday of each month, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Marina Park (open to those with base access)



Kroc Center, MS Gulf Coast, The Salvation Army575 Division St., 228-207-1218, krocmscoast.com

- **Splash Into the New Year Swim Party**, Jan 9, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Members – free; guests - \$10
- **Frosty Kroc Run**, Jan 10, 8:30 a.m. 5K, 10K 1 mile fun run, Biloxi Bay Bridge. \$20 for adults, \$15 age 17 and under
- **Kroc Center/Red Cross Blood Drive**, Jan 13, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.
- **Painted Stories Toddler & Parent Art Workshop**, Jan 31, 10-11 a.m., \$15

Maritime & Seafood Industry Museum115 1st Street, 228-435-6320, www.maritimemuseum.org

Hours of operation: Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Sunday, noon-4 p.m.

- **“Copper Meets Coast” art exhibit opening**, Jan 8-March 31, Moran Gallery on 3rd floor. The public is invited to the opening reception on January 8 from 5:30-7 p.m.; meet the artist and view the exhibit. Free admission.
- **Sea-N-Sail Adventure Camp 2026 registration** opens Jan. 19. Forms can be found at www.maritimemuseum.org. Camp Session (8 a.m. to 4 p.m.) June 1-5, 8-12, 15-19 (6-8 years old only), 22-26. July 6-10, 13-17, 20-24. Cost \$275 per child per week. Deposit of \$50 per child required at time of registration. 20% discount for 3+ children in family.

**Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art**386 Beach Blvd., 228-374-5547, www.georgeohr.org

- Check the website for events and studio classes at OOMA!

West End Hose Co. No. 3 Fire Museum1046 Howard Ave., 228-435-6119, 228-435-6200, www.biloxi.ms.us

- Historic 1937 firehouse open Saturdays 9 a.m.-2 p.m. or by appointment

Biloxi Elks 606 Lodge of Biloxi

1178 Beach Blvd., 228-374-0606

- **Friday Bingo**, Jan 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30. Doors open at 4 p.m.; Card sales at 5:30 p.m., Early Bird games at 6:30 p.m.; regular games at 7 p.m. Cash payouts. Concessions available. Kitchen open until 8 p.m.

Fleur de Lis Society of Biloxi (French Club)

182 Howard Ave., 228-436-6472

- **Karaoke with Kenny**, Fridays at 7 p.m.

Joppa Shrine

13280 Shriners Blvd., 601-917-1027

- **Steak Night**, Jan. 9, 6-8 p.m. Last ticket sold 7:15 p.m. \$20, dine-in or carry-out. 228-392-9345

Mississippi Coast Historical & Genealogical Society

Dr. Frank Gruich Sr. Community Center, 591 Howard Ave. (2nd floor), 228-438-4636

- Next meeting TBA

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Monday Bingo

315 Tara Lane, 228-388-3887

- **Monday Bingo**, Jan 5, 12, 19, & 26; doors open at 5 p.m., Early birds at 6:30 p.m., regular games at 7 p.m.

The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish Bingo

870 Howard Ave., 228-374-1717

- **Biloxi Bingo Mania**, Tuesday nights behind Nativity Cathedral; 871 Esters Blvd. Doors open 5:30 p.m.; Early bird games at 6:30 p.m.; regular games begin at 7 p.m. Proceeds benefit Nativity BVM Catholic Elementary School. Details: 228-374-6472

Lagniappe**Charles R. Hegwood****Biloxi Community Market**

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6 a.m.-2 p.m. on the corner of Howard Avenue and Hopkins Boulevard. Details: Biloxi Parks & Rec., 228-388-7170

City of Biloxi Senior Program

Activities for ages 55 and older weekdays at: Donal M. Snyder Sr. Community Center and East Biloxi Senior Citizen Center.

Details: Biloxi Parks & Rec., 228-388-7170

Biloxi Libraries

- Biloxi Library, 580 Howard Ave., 228-436-3095
- Margaret Sherry Library, 2141 Popp's Ferry Road, 228-388-1633
- West Biloxi Library, 2047 Pass Road, 228-388-5696
- Woolmarket Library, 13034 Kayleigh Cove, 228-354-9464

For more information, call the Harrison County Library System at 228-436-3095.

Biloxi Main StreetPromoting, preserving, revitalizing and enhancing economic growth of downtown. Details and membership: 228-435-6339, mainstreetbiloxi.com**City of Biloxi Public Meetings**biloxi.ms.us/publicmeetings

- **Architectural Review Commission:** Regularly scheduled meetings: second and fourth Thursday of the month, 8:30 a.m.; Community Development, 676 MLK Blvd. Details: 228-435-6266
- **Biloxi Beautification Commission:** Regularly scheduled meetings on first and third Wednesday of month, 11 a.m., City Council room, Biloxi City Hall, 140 Lameuse St. Details: biloxi.ms.us/beautification
- **Biloxi City Council:** Regularly scheduled meetings: first Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. and the third and fourth Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m.; City Hall, 140 Lameuse St. Details: 228-435-6257
- **Biloxi Civil Service Commission:** Regularly scheduled meetings: second Thursday of the month at 4 p.m.; City Hall, 140 Lameuse St. Details: 228-435-6259
- **Biloxi Planning Commission:** Regularly scheduled meetings: first and third Thursday of the month at 2 p.m.; Community Development, 676 MLK Blvd. Details: 228-435-6266
- **Development Review Committee:** Regularly scheduled meetings: Wednesdays at 9 a.m.; Community Development, 676 MLK Blvd. Details: 228-435-6266
- **Tree Committee:** Regularly scheduled meetings: first Wednesday of each month at 3:30 p.m.; Biloxi Community Development conference room, 676 MLK Blvd. Details: 228-435-6266

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